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A VERDICT FOR THE PLAINTIFF

W. W. McIntire Given \$941 Damages in Suit Against E. S. Marshall.

The United States circuit court in the case of W. W. McIntire of this city versus Edward S. Marshall of York, on Thursday afternoon returned a verdict of \$941 for the plaintiff. Mr. McIntire brought suit for \$2,400 damages by being run over by an automobile at the corner of Congress and Fleet streets in this city on Aug. 31, 1908. Kelley, Hard and Hatch of this city appeared for the plaintiff. The defense was conducted by Marshall of Portland, and Mitchell and Gupill of Portsmouth. Counsel for the defense has announced that an appeal will be taken.

Trial was begun Thursday afternoon in the case of Alexander Hould of 440 Belmont street, Manchester, against the John P. Squire company, an action of tort, in which Hould seeks to recover for injuries sustained while in the employ of the company. The damage claimed is \$20,000. Hould was driving one of the

company's delivery wagons on Notre Dame avenue Dec. 28, 1908, and the horse slipped, throwing him from his seat between the wheel and shaft. His left leg was lacerated and bruised. He alleges that the injury is permanent and that he will not have complete use of his feet. The plaintiff further alleges that the company was negligent in not properly shoeing the animal as he has suggested and, he claims, as Manager Cage, promised to do. Defense is a general denial. Drs. George B. Fiske and Joseph E. Larochelle testified to the nature of the injury. Tuttle, Burroughs and Wyman of Manchester appear for the plaintiff, and Edward C. Stone of Boston for the company.

The case ended today in a non-suit and the court took a recess till next week.

CHOIR BOYS AT CONCORD

The annual meeting of the choir guild of New Hampshire opened at

Concord Thursday. There was a very large attendance some over 200 being present. Mr. B. W. Burke, Wallace McIntire, organist and choir director with thirty members of the Christ church boys' choir, were present from this city. Interesting exercises were held in the evening at St. Paul's church.

COLT WEIGHS 13 POUNDS

Foaled by a Shetland Pony in a Stable at Derry

Derry, June 3.—Louis Provencher is showing at his stable on Crystal avenue one of the tiniest bits of horseflesh that ever had life all by itself and showed brightest prospects of becoming a full grown trotter some day. The little animal is a colt from his Shetland pony and weighed only thirteen pounds when it was born. Many people have called to see it. Mr. and Mrs. Provencher have driven the mother pony about this town for the past two years.

John W. Moore of Derry has offered Mr. Provencher \$2000 for the colt, it is said.

THE WEATHER

Friday night and Saturday—Some-what cloudy with scattering showers, light to moderate westerly winds and moderate to cool temperature.

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Fancy Crepes for Wists or Underwear	25c yard
Striped and Checked Dimities	12 1/2c to 25c
Imperial Nainsook, Mercerized finish	12 1/2c to 25c
Dotted Swiss Muslins	19c, 25c, 37 1/2c
India Linens	10c, 12c, 17c to 37 1/2c
Linen Finish Waistlings	12 1/2c, 15c, 19c
White Poplins	25c yard
Linen Sutings	37 1/2c and 50c yard
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LADIES' HOME JOURNAL PATTERNS JUNE FASHION SHEETS READY.

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KITTERY LETTER

Endeavor Society's Officers

Reception to the New Methodist Pastor

A Lawsuit Grows Out of an Assault Charge

Kittery, Me., June 3.—There was a large attendance at the Second Methodist vestry Thursday evening, the occasion being the reception tendered to the new pastor, Rev. Fred C. Norcross, and family. The vestry was beautifully decorated with flowers and potted plants. In the receiving line were Mr. and Mrs. Norcross, their son Phillip Norcross, President Mrs. Charles W. Philbrick of the Epworth League and President Mrs. George E. Damon of the Ladies' Aid. The ushers were William Snow, George Jones and Earl Chick. During the receiving, piano solos were given by William Snow, Miss Bernice Gliden and Miss Amy Windrich. Chocolate, cake and fancy crackers were served. An impromptu musical program was given with vocal solos by Mrs. Frank Manuel, Albert Sprague and Miss Mabel Hodgson and a violin solo by Llewellyn Rudolph. Among the guests of the evening was Rev. E. H. Macy pastor of the Second church choir.

Schuyler Tobey is working for C. M. Prince.

The society meetings on Thursday evening were of the Grange, the Grand Army Post, the Sons of Veterans camp and the Golden Cross.

Mrs. Anna W. Hobbs of Wentworth street entertained the Second Christian circle on Thursday evening.

Miss Marie Sherburne of North Berwick has been on a visit here.

The funeral of Dennis Manson was held on Thursday afternoon at his home in North Kittery, Rev. Edward Hallet Macy conducting the service. The interment was in the family burying ground. The funeral director was O. W. Ham.

Miss Henrietta Beyer will sing at the vesper service in the Methodist church at five o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Envoy and Mrs. John W. Sykes of the Salvation Army have returned from a trip to Boston.

The Traip Academy juniors will have a strawberry festival and hop at Wentworth hall tonight.

Dirigo encampment, T. O. O. F. will have degree work tonight.

Miss Agnes Froh is at home after a visit in South Hadley, Mass.

President, Mrs. J. Edgar Burnham; vice president, Mervin G. Ford, corresponding secretary, Mrs. Mervin G. Ford; recording secretary, Lillian F. Goodrich; treasurer, Nettie Hanscom; organist, Lillian F. Goodrich; superintendent, Mrs. Estella Kramer; assistant superintendent, Mrs. Abercrombie Dennett were the officers elected by the Second Christian

TUNGSTEN LAMPS

(The trade name recently given to the tungsten lamp is Metal Lamp, but means nothing except a trade name.)

Reduction in Price

Customers entitled to free renewals of carbon incandescent lamps can now obtain Tungsten Lamps in exchange, for the following excess prices:

25 Watt	\$.50
40 "	.50
60 "	.70
100 "	.75
150 "	1.00
250 "	1.10

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NAVAL COLLIES TO BE GIVEN SPECIAL TEST

Washington, June 3.—One of the difficult problems that confronted the naval administrators at the time of the round the world cruise of the battle fleet had to do with the supply of coal for the various vessels. It will be remembered that foreign bottoms were finally employed to convey the fuel to the ports en route. In order to do away if possible with such a policy Secretary Meyer has decided to make a test by sending the new collier Cyclops, with ten thousand tons of coal from Newport News through the Strait of Magellan to San Francisco as soon as the collier is ready for use. It is believed that the entire expense will not be so

great as to forbid this process in future, and that Congress will then willingly appropriate for more colliers of this size. The colliers now used in the American Navy for carrying coal take only about seven thousand tons aboard, and owing to the length of the cruise the expense of taking this amount makes the price a ton greater than the price demanded by foreign bottoms. But with a collier of ten thousand tons it is believed the price can be materially lessened. The Cyclops will start for the west coast from Newport News late in the summer. She is now under construction at the William Cramp & Sons shipyard, and is progressing rapidly toward completion.

Theatrical Topics

Boston Opera House.

The Aborn Comic Opera Company's season at the Boston Opera House has opened quite as auspiciously as did the grand opera series under the same management, and the initial week in "Robin Hood" has been characterized with the same large audiences that attended the former company's offerings of heavier works.

The revivals to be made during the lighter season will be of the musical successes of the past few years, though this rule will be varied next week, for their second weekly offering will be "Gilbert and Sullivan's charming comic opera, "The Mikado," one of the greatest successes those famous collaborators ever put forth, and it occupies the same position in England as "Robin Hood" does in America, as a comic opera. "The Mikado" reigned among light classics of the very highest order musical offerings a score of years ago, and has not been presented often in recent years, so it is almost a complete novelty to the younger generation. Recently, however, the better class of music has been rising in vogue, as witnessed by the great success of pieces like "The Merry Widow," "A Waltz Dream," "The Chocolate Soldier," "The Dollar Princess" and the like, and this tendency has prompted the revival of this splendid old comic opera, "The Mikado," of the same high class, and it will be given completely and elaborately in all of the cities where the Aborn companies are appearing this summer, as well as being revived with an all-star cast for a run in New York City.

The cast for "The Mikado" at the Boston Opera House next week will be of appropriate selection, including a number of favorites of the Aborn contingent of the first week, with a number of notable additions. It will include Robert Lett in the central comedy role of Ko-Ko, the Lord High Executioner, William Bellery, a newcomer, in the title part as the Mikado, George L. Tillman in the tenor role of Nanki-Poo, Francis J. Boyle in the character of Pooh-Bah, Estelle Wentworth in the prima donna role of Yum-Yum, Louise Le Baron as Pitti-Sing, Florence Coughlan as Peep-Bo, Hattie Arnold as Katisha, Charles Arling as Pish-Tush, and others.

Later weeks will be given to revivals of such modern hits as "King Dodo," "Mille Modiste," "The Yankee Consul," "The Sultan of Sulu," "A Chinese Honeymoon," "The Mocking-Bird," "Princess Chic," "The Fortune Teller," etc.

UNITARIAN SUMMER MEETINGS

Institute at Isles of Shoals Will Start on July 10

The Unitarian summer meetings and Sunday school institute will be held this year on the Isles of Shoals from July 10 to 17.

Prof. Ralph Barton Perry of Harvard university, will speak upon "The Ethical Focus of Religion." Prof. Charles Zumbin of Boston on "The Religion of the Common Life," and Rev. Joseph H. Crocker of Resindale on "The Persistent Significance of the Christ Ideal." The sessions will open with an address by the Rev. Thomas Van Ness of the Second church of Boston.

SALISBURY'S ONE LICENSE

Encounters Troubles With the Laws of Massachusetts

Senate Bill Banning the sale of beer will be in effect in this town this year, instead of next year, as a result of the difficulties that have been placed in the way of Republican caucuses held Thursday

the issuance of the town's sole license.

The selectmen have twice granted a license to Beckman and Goodrich. The first time one of the board, John H. Stevens, claimed he had been ignored and declared that the issue was illegal. As a result the other two members of the board went all over the ground again.

Again Beckman and Goodrich were granted a license for a single privilege, instead of the customary two, owing to the fact that the bar and bottle bill has gone into effect. If the selectmen had not re-advertized the license, the double privilege would have been granted.

But even now Salisbury Beach is dry, for last week when the new firm opened in a building especially erected for the purpose the board of health served notice that the place must close, as the sewer regulations had not been compiled with.

Now those who voted for license are wondering what will happen next to nullify their votes.

NAVY ORDERS

Lieutenants L. P. Davis and J. M. Smealie, commission (junior grade). Ensign V. V. Woodward, to navy yard, Boston, Mass., connection navy yard team.

Midshipman H. H. Frost, to the Michigan.

Midshipman H. H. Fox, granted sick leave two months.

Midshipman M. S. Brown to the Hartford.

Passed Assistant Paymaster J. Maupin, to the Tacoma.

Passed Assistant Paymaster N. B. Farwell, to navy office, New York city.

Arrived—New York at Naples; Prof. Jones, Preble and Stewart at Monterey; Wolverine at Detroit.

Sailed—Dubuque, from Bluefields for Cristobal.

When Secretary Meyer set the seal of his approval upon plans for the two giant battleships, Nos. 34 and 35, provided for in the naval appropriation bill soon to become a law, he inaugurated a new policy in naval construction. Heretofore it has been the practice to await an appropriation before undertaking the preparation of plans for naval vessels, with the result that many months elapsed before the department was in a position to call for bids. In this case the work has been practically all done in advance. The naval war college prepared the rough outlines of the ships; these were passed around among some of the captains in the navy for criticism. They were then revised by the general board and placed in the hands of the naval constructors. Secretary Meyer paid a special compliment to the construction bureau for the rapidity and thoroughness with which they had done their work.

Details of the vessels are withheld, but it is generally stated that they will be of 27,000 tons and carry ten fourteen inch guns, making them more formidable than any ship now afloat.

Marine Corps Orders

Leaves granted Capt. F. M. Eslick, one year from May 26; 2d Lieut. John Marston, 20 days; 1st Lieut. R. D. Farquharson, seven days.

1st Lieut. W. H. Ellis, appointed judge advocate of general court martial navy yard, Mare Island, vice Maj. N. Hall.

1st Lieut. R. E. Adams, to Washington, D. C., for examination.

2d Lieut. F. J. Levering, reported to president retiring board, Washington, D. C., for examination.

Maj. M. J. Shaw and Capt. F. L. Bradman, report to major general Commandant Maj. A. S. McLemore to South Atlantic inspection district, Norfolk, Va.

WINDS STILL LEADS

Portland, Me., June 3.—Of the five Republican caucuses held Thursday



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RETIREMENT FOR BLUEJACKETS

afternoon and evening to select delegates to the first district congressional convention four were in favor of Asher G. Hinds.

Fourteen delegates favorable to Colonel Fred Hale were elected in Biddeford.

Hinds delegates were elected as follows: Brunswick, 9; Saco, 10; New Gloucester, 3; Kennebunk, 7.

Mr. Hinds now has 75 delegates, Colonel Hale 54 and Edward C. Reynolds 11.

The total number of delegates to the convention is 308.

PRESIDENT WILL BE BUSY

Washington, June 3.—President Taft's decision some weeks ago to stick closely to Washington for a while is now being varied as the measures before congress in which he is interested make little progress.

He is arranging several visits for the present month and is also accepting numerous invitations for the autumn. During September and October, as matters now stand, the President promises to make extensive journeys to and fro over the country.

Even his wish not to visit much

during the months of July and August, which he had reserved for uninterrupted residence at Beverly, may not be carried out altogether. He has virtually accepted invitations to attend a church dedication at Lynn, Mass., and encouraged a delegation to expect him at Bretton Woods, N. H., July 11, to open the tournament of the American-Golf Association of Advertising Interests. Mr. Taft is honorary president of that association.

The president has also accepted an invitation to Jersey City on Oct. 18.

That will be the occasion of the 200th anniversary of the founding of the city.

On Thursday the president started on a four-day trip into Pennsylvania and the West. He attended the commencement exercises at Bryn Mawr Thursday and today journeys to Michigan and Ohio.

METHODIST LADIES' AID

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Martin of 10 Chapel street entertained the Ladies Aid Society of the First Methodist church Wednesday afternoon and last night in their home. A business meeting of the afternoon was presided over by Mrs. J. Howard Graver, Mrs. Martin was assisted in serving supper by Mrs. Chandler M. Hayford, Mrs. Edward Small, Mrs. Richard Briddle and Mrs. Mark Snock. A social hour followed at night. The Rev. George W. Farmer, pastor of the church, talked to the members.

SPECIAL MEETING

There will be a special meeting of the Gen. Gilman Marston Commandery, Veterans Union, at their hall,

on Saturday evening, at seven o'clock.

Business—mustered in.

WINDS STILL LEADS

The tickets for the high school graduation exercises at Music Hall on June 16 are being distributed.

MOODY'S HEALTH

Justice May Never Again Sit in the Supreme Court

Washington, June 3.—Friends of Justice Moody, it is said, have received letters from him in which he expresses the fear that his health is permanently broken and that he will be unable to endure the strain of his official duties.

It next October Mr. Moody is not able to resume his place on the bench when congress meets in December an act will undoubtedly be passed to permit his retirement with full pay, although he will be the youngest member of the court who has ever retired.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

The annual meeting of the Portsmouth Building and Loan Association will be held at their room in National block, Congress street, Wednesday evening, June 8, at 8 o'clock. Election of officers.

JOHN PENDER, Secretary.

The Portsmouth Country Club has had nearly forty applications for membership this spring.

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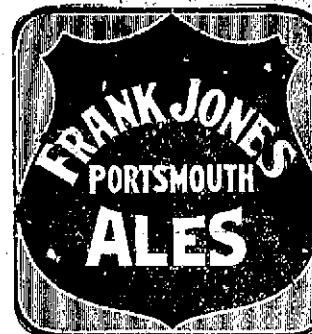
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MORE ROADS RAISE RATES

East Joins the West In a General Increase

IT AFFECTS COMMODITIES

Percentage Gald to Average Between Ten and Fifteen Percent in New Tariffs Which Have Begun to Pour in Upon Commerce Commission—Department of Justice Will Undertake to Enjoin the Increases

Washington, June 3.—The eastern railroads have joined the western in the rate-increase movement, and the department of justice will be called upon again to institute suits to enjoin the roads from making the rates effective July 6. It is expected that schedules of increased rates will be filed by all the roads in the east.

The new rates began to pour into the office of the interstate commerce commission yesterday, regardless of the injunction proceedings already begun against the roads in the Western Trunk Line association. The increases are on commodity rates. The commission has not yet had time to figure out the percentage of increase. Unofficially, it is said to average between 10 to 15 percent, but the commission does not verify these figures.

Not only have the eastern roads started to shove up rates, but the railroads in Central Freight association territory have taken like action. All the roads operating in the territory between Chicago, Cincinnati and Louisville and reaching as far as Milwaukee, twenty-two lines in all, and the Hill steamship line, have filed schedules increasing commodity rates.

The increases in the Ohio-Indiana territory are on a wide range of commodities. The freight traffic officials of the interstate commerce commission have not made comparisons of all of them. But they range, so far as compared, from 6 percent to 31 percent.

The highest increase is on tar oil, amounting to 24 percent. The rates go into effect July 1. Like the increased schedules filed by the western roads which have been enjoined, the increased schedules of the roads in the Ohio-Indiana region have been filed in concert. That is to say, there is, according to the commission reports, prima facie evidence of a unified action and of a conspiracy in restraint of trade under the Sherman law.

This means that the department of justice will undertake to enjoin the increases. If Attorney General Wickersham takes action consistent with the course he took in the case of the western roads, he will look into the circumstances of the action of the lines in the Ohio-Indiana country and will doubtless seek to obtain a preliminary injunction. Shippers in the Ohio-Indiana region are already stirred up over the reports that the roads in that territory will increase rates.

Lawyers are keenly interested to know what will be the procedure of the attorney general in the eastern road cases. The administration has been trying to get through a bill providing for notice and hearing in injunction cases, yet it is pointed out that at the first opportunity the department of justice had to apply for an injunction on its own account.

The technical question is now raised by lawyers as to what the "existing rate" actually is. Only the railroads have power under the law to make rates, and as the former rates were superseded by the new ones, it is regarded as pertinent to inquire what the "existing" rates are in the territory to which the injunctions apply.

Attorney General Wickersham himself says he has not given any thought to the question whether the government should take action looking to injunction proceedings against the eastern railroads which have filed increased tariff rates with the interstate commerce commission.

BALM FOR WOUNDED HEART

Girl Sues Critic of Fair Sex For Alleged Breach of Promise

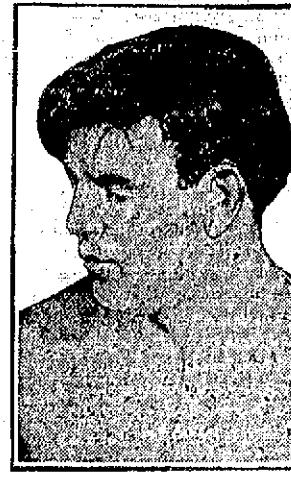
New York, June 3.—Suit for \$50,000 damages for alleged breach of promise of marriage has been brought in the supreme court by Miss Esther Quian against Professor Harry T. Peck, holder of the chair in Latin at Columbia university, president of the Latin Club of America, member of many prominent literary clubs and associations, magazine writer, critic of the fair sex and essayist on perfume as relating to morals.

The first wife of Peck obtained a divorce in Sioux Falls, S. D., in September, 1908. The grounds were desertion. On Aug. 26 of the following year he married Miss Elizabeth H. Du Bois, a teacher of classics in the Morris high school.

Andrew Succeeds Norton Washington, June 3.—A. P. Andrew, the present director of the mint, has been selected as assistant secretary of the treasury to succeed Charles D. Norton, who has been made secretary to the president.

FRANK GOTCH

He Announces Intention to Rest on His Laurels



SIMPLE LIFE FOR GOTCH

World's Champion Wrestler Decides to Retire While He Is Unbeaten

Chicago, June 3.—Frank Gotch says he will now retire to his farm in Iowa. In a statement after his defeat of Zbyszko he said:

"I won, and now I am through with the wrestling game. I am 33 years old and it will be the simple life for me in the future. Many wrestlers have waited too long and have been beaten. I am going to try to avoid that."

WIFE SLAYER SENTENCED

Conroy Will Spend the Remainder of His Life in Prison

Boston, June 3.—Edward J. Conroy was sentenced to state prison for life. He retracted his former plea of not guilty to the charge of murder in the first degree and pleaded guilty to murder in the second degree. Conroy killed his wife in South Boston on Feb. 13.

Conroy weighs 200 pounds. On the night of the murder he had been drinking and quarreled with his wife. She left him soon after and went to church to attend devotions. On her return Conroy renewed his quarrel with her and literally beat her to death.

WORKMEN FIND GOLD IN HULL HILLSIDE

Little Chance, However, of Mining Operations Being Begun

Hull, Mass., June 3.—John R. Wheeler had visions of a bonanza when some men working in a clay pit on land he owns in the hillside south of Fort Revere struck their picks into what appeared to be a vein of gold.

The quartz was eagerly taken on: under the direction of Wheeler, and without delay he placed it in the hands of a Boston assayer, who found it actually contained gold, but not in sufficient quantity to warrant smelting.

The finding of the quartz was kept comparatively quiet until workers employed in carting clay on the town roads from the pit struck another large piece of quartz. Then the news spread rapidly.

Wheeler has allowed people to take away pieces of the quartz as souvenirs of an actual gold find in Hull.

CLAD ONLY IN NIGHTIE

Patient Flees From Hospital and Leads Chase Through Streets

Gloucester, Mass., June 3.—When David Langley fled down Washington and Middle streets, attired solely in his night shirt, closely pursued by two young women nurses, it is believed he attracted more attention than he has ever before been accorded.

The nurses showed remarkable sprinting abilities, but it was Officer O'Malley who finally overtook and captured Langley.

Langley is an inmate of the Gloucester hospital, and suddenly decided that life in that institution had no attractions for him. So, without stopping to dress, he ran outdoors.

His capture occurred when O'Malley, distancing the other pursuers, threw his strong arms about Langley, making him a prisoner.

King George Receives Peary

London, June 3.—Commander Peary was presented to King George at Marlborough house. He remained a half-hour, telling the king something of his own achievements and discussing with him the prospects of Captain Scott's Antarctic expedition.

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Willing to Have Maine Raised Havana, June 3.—Responding to a request made by the American navy department President Gomez says that Cuba willingly authorizes the raising of the wreck of the battleship Maine.

OVER CHANNEL AND RETURNS

Wonderful Biplane Flight by an English Aviator

HE REGAINS LOST LAURELS

Rolls Distances Torpedo Boat Destroyers That Accompany Him Each Way and Is Almost Mobbed by Tu-multuous Crowds Upon Completing His Double Trip, Which Was Made in a Wright Machine Built in France

Dover, Eng., June 3.—C. S. Rolls, the English aviator, last evening surpassed all other channel flights, making the trip from here to Calais, and then immediately recrossing in his biplane. The weather was perfect and his aeroplane worked faultlessly. Great crowds viewed the flights from both shores. By his great feat he regained for England the laurels that English aviators had lost to Bleriot and De Lesseps.

On both flights Rolls' machine traveled at great speed. When he left the English shore he made straight for the French side, and the crowds gathered on the cliffs could clearly follow his course for a distance of more than twenty miles or within a couple of miles of France.

The landing on the French side was just long enough to run over the machine and see that all the parts had withstood the first flight. When the airship settled down at the completion of the last leg of the daring trip the aviator was given a tremendous ovation by the joy-maddened crowd that acclaimed the restoration of flying honors to England. Rolls was almost mobbed and with difficulty saved his craft from being injured by the tumultuous crowds.

The Englishman's aeroplane is a Wright machine, built in France, with an American Wright engine. The plane has two seats, giving accommodation for a passenger. Rolls will get the Rouat prize of \$2500. For two weeks or so Rolls has been preparing for a double channel flight, and the inhabitants of the French shore have been on the qui vive.

Word was received that the start might be expected Thursday afternoon and thousands lined the cliffs, waiting for a glimpse of the plane. Thousands of the 60,000 people of Calais went to the surrounding points, the fact that an Englishman was at last going to attempt thefeat twice performed by Frenchmen attracting wide attention.

When he gilded to earth gracefully, rolls declared that he was elated, but would waste no time in jubilation, as he hoped to resume the flight on the return trip.

"It was good flight," he said, "and things are just right for the second stage. The round trip is no more than my flight at Nice, when I covered fifty miles over the water all the way without a stop."

In order to accomplish his feat, Rolls had to cover forty-two miles, which is twice the distance across the channel from Dover to Calais. The entire flight was made in ninety minutes.

Throughout his flight Rolls maintained an altitude of 800 feet, whereas Bleriot had kept at a height of only 500 feet above the sea level.

Rolls is a captain in the London section of the army motor reserve. In his younger days he successfully competed in the sports of bicycling, automobile and ballooning. On one occasion he was awarded a gold medal for his performance in the 1000 miles trial of 1900 in England. He has made no less than 160 balloon ascensions.

Rolls'feat, though often attempted, has never before been accomplished.

On July 25, 1909, Louis Bleriot crossed from Calais to Dover in thirty minutes, but was forced to land at the latter place. On May 21, 1910, Count Jacques de Lesseps made the same flight in twenty-five minutes, but was also compelled to alight at Dover.

Pilgrims' Day Aug. 5.

Provincetown, Mass., June 3.—The Pilgrim monument, at the laying of the corner-stone of which President Roosevelt made a memorable attack upon corporations, will be dedicated on Aug. 5, the anniversary of the sailing of the Pilgrims from Delft Haven, Holland.

Prominent Railroad Man Dead

Philadelphia, June 3.—Joseph S. Harris, formerly president of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation company, and later president of the Reading company, died suddenly here. He was born in Chester county, Pa., on April 29, 1856.

Dix Successes Conners

New York, June 3.—John A. Dix was elected chairman of the Democratic state committee, succeeding William J. Conners, at the meeting of the committee held in this city.

THE NATIONAL GAME

National League		
At Boston:	R	H
Chicago	2	6
Boston	1	7
Batteries—McNulty and Kling;		
Frock, Matern and Graham.		
At New York:	R	H
New York	1	13
Cincinnati	3	6
Batteries—Dickson, Cranford and		
Meyer, Suggs and McLean.		
At Philadelphia:	R	H
St. Louis	4	3
Philadelphia	3	8
Batteries—Lush, Sallee and Phelps;		
Shetter, Foxen, Moore and Moran.		
At Brooklyn:	R	H
Brooklyn	3	8
Pittsburgh	1	8
Batteries—Rucker and Bergen;		
Camuzzi and Gibson.		

American League		
At St. Louis:	R	H
Boston	10	14
St. Louis	9	19
Batteries—Karger, Smith, Arellanes, Wood, Hall and Carrigan;		
Lake, Bailey, Waddell, Graham and Stevens.		
New England League		
At Lowell:	R	H
Lowell	5	10
Worcester	1	5
Batteries—Tyler and Huston; Duffee, Collamore and Rondeau.		
At Haverhill:	R	H
New Bedford	5	8
Haverhill	4	12
Batteries—Friel and Sebastian; Wilson and Pratt.		

American League		
At Brockton:	R	H
Brockton	3	6
Fall River	1	3
Batteries—Pape and Lavigne; Wormwood and Perkins.		
At Lynn:	R	H
Lynn	7	11
Lawrence	6	10
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ARTS OF PEACE.

A time will come when the science of destruction shall bend before the arts of peace; when genius, which multiplies our powers, which creates new products, which diffuses comfort and happiness among the great mass of the people, shall occupy in the general estimation of mankind that rank which reason and common sense now assign it. —Arago.

THE PRESIDENT'S SECRETARY

President Taft is to be congratulated on securing Mr. Charles D. Norton of Chicago for his secretary, to take charge of the executive superintendence of the White House offices.

This paper is well acquainted with Mr. Norton, as he has passed a good number of summers at Rye Beach. He is an able business man of the present period, courteous, tactful, progressive, knowing how to do things himself and how to get them done by others.

AN INTERNATIONAL DISCOURSE.

The longer you look at it, the more amazing seems Theodore Roosevelt's insult to the people of England, by his Guild hall speech on the subject of Egyptian administration. It was none of his business, any more than it would be considered allowable for Lord Roseberry or some other ex-premier of England to come to the United States and tell us that our police regulations are silly.

Much is expected of one in Mr. Roosevelt's position, and the American people have a right to demand that an ex-president shall not set an example of discourtesy to one's hosts.

BIRDSEYE VIEWS

We wonder if "U. S. A." for "Union of South Africa," will make any confusion in the international mails with "U. S. A." for "United States of America," and we wonder if it would have been just as easy to have called the new federation the "South African Union."

It is not every day in the year, by a good deal, when a new nation is formed on the face of the earth. That has just happened in the Union of South Africa. Gen. Louis Botha is forcing the cabinet, taking the portfolios of premier and of minister of agriculture himself. Other ministers have been selected from among the leading statesmen of the various colonies which make up the federation. These colonies were Cape Colony, Orange River Colony, Natal and the Transvaal. The union of the colonies which amounts to the birth of a nation, took place May 31. A parliament will be elected immediately, to consist of a senate and a house of assembly. Cape Town is to be the seat of the legislature. Pretoria the seat of the executive government and Johannesburg the seat of the supreme court. This idea of dividing the location of the branches of the government is a new one. It is not easy to see

where any advantage will be gained from having two seats of government and apparently the disadvantages will be many. The new governor general is Viscount Gladstone.

AMONG OUR EXCHANGES

Mr. Carr's Chances

Clarence E. Carr of Andover announces that he will be a candidate for the nomination for governor on the Democratic ticket. He made a good run for the office two years ago receiving many Republican votes. As the men who are supposed to have voted for him then will doubtless vote for Mr. Bass this year if he is nominated. Mr. Carr's chances of election are in the same delightful state of uncertainty as are many other things political just at this time.—Canadian Reporter.

Maine's Democratic Leader

Barklis is willin'. Mayor Plaisted told the Augusta Democratic caucus that he was not seeking the governor nomination, but would obey the will of the party. That amounts to saying that he is in the hands of his friends:—Portland Press.

No Catch to the Maine Appropriation

It has been suggested that the sum of \$100,000 which Congress has appropriated for the raising of the Maine is inadequate—was purposely made inadequate so that the question would have to be discussed all over again before a start could be made on the popular project. The impression the public would be apt to get from this is that the recent act of congress was purely a scheme to silence those who have been urging the removal of the Maine for the sake of dignity and decency.

But Congressman Sulzer of New York, who has been one of the foremost advocates of the removal proposition, explains that "there is nothing in the question of the appropriation of \$100,000 being too small to raise the wreck of the Maine. That appropriation was merely to start the work; in other words, a continuing appropriation, and all money necessary to carry out the provisions of the act to raise the Maine will be appropriated by congress as required."

This explanation should satisfy the doubters.—Boston Journal.

An Italian Hospital

An interesting sociological fact is the movement among the Italians of Boston, of whom there are about 50,000, to establish a hospital of their own. Italian immigrants are said by the *Gazzetta del Massachusetts* to be very reluctant to avail themselves of American hospitals because they do not like American cooking and because being ignorant of the language, they prefer to be treated by physicians of their own nationality.

It is the laudable purpose of these in charge of the movement to raise the necessary funds among the Italians themselves and call it "Columbus hospital," for, says the *Gazzetta*, "the best way of honoring the dead is to safeguard the welfare of the living, and to do it with less with idle words, with abusers and fireworks."—Boston Globe.

A Neglected Opportunity.

From the valley of the mighty Columbia, they are already announcing an apple crop next fall which will far exceed the record crop from that country two years ago. To prevent any possible injury to the buds by frost the farmers used smudge pots, or "orchard heaters," and the process was a success.

The profits which the apple industry has carried to the Northwestern States represents the neglected opportunity of Eastern farmers.—Dover Democrat.

New England Apples.

The energy shown by the Maine apple planters this season will be interpreted as practical recognition of the possibilities in apple culture in New England—opportunities which have been neglected in many sections.

It appears that there have been set out in Maine during the present season between 100,000 and 150,000 apple trees. We know of no census of the apple tree planting in this state for the present season, but were such taken, it would doubtless show a marked increase in the number of trees.

Next year we may expect an even more notable increase.

It is perhaps humiliating that New England had to wait for the tremendous success of apple culture in the Northwest to realize the possibilities at home.

Accepting this as fact, however, it is gratifying to find that the lesson has been learned, and that this part of the Country is to take

its place in years near at hand, as a front rank member of the apple raising industry.

Conditions in New England are admirable for raising apples; there are those who insist

that the flavor of a New England apple cannot be duplicated in the West.

Statue of General George A. Custer Unveiled June 4



TROUBLE IN RAISING THE KATAHDIN

Washington, June 3—The naval officers are having much more trouble than was anticipated in raising the harbor defence ram Katahdin, which was sunk a week ago in the river of Stump Neck, by shots from Indian Head. Since the ship filled and sank, a week ago Saturday, two of the navy yard tugs with powerful pumps have been working on the vessel, but as yet she has not been raised to the surface, the general opinion of the river men being that she has a bigger hole in her hull than the naval officials are willing to admit. Saturday last, when vessels coming to this city passed the Katahdin, it looked as if the efforts of the working force would be successful and the vessel floated. Her decks were then awash, and from appearances but little more water needed to be removed to have them above the water. Vessel masters arriving here Wednesday stated that when they passed the vessel she had gone to the bottom again, and only a portion of her masts was showing above the water. Wrecking appliances were about the sunken ship, and the indications were that another effort was to be made to bring her to the surface and to the navy yard here for repairs.

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MILK CONTRACTORS BEFORE COURT

Boston, June 3.—George Whiting and H. P. Hood and Sons, milk contractors, were summoned into the municipal criminal court Thursday before Judge Murray by milk inspector James O. Jordan of the board of health. It was charged that the defendants had in their possession on May 1 some milk that contained more than 500,000 bacteria to the cubic centimeter.

Atty. Cusick appeared for Mr. Whiting, while for the Hood people Whipple, Sears and Ogden entered their appearance. The attorneys said they intended to contest the cases, and were not yet ready to proceed. A continuance was granted until June 9, and the defendants allowed to go on their own recognizance.

It was said then that other contractors are likely to be summoned into court on a violation of the milk laws.

The bringing into court here of

Whiting and the Hoods came as a result, it is said, of action taken by the board of health on May 28, when the board voted to prosecute milk contractors.

The contention of Inspector Jordan and others of the board is that contractors violated article 6 of the rules adopted by the board of health of 1906. That article provides that no person or his agent shall, in the city of Boston, sell, exchange or deliver, or have in his custody or possession, with intent to sell, any milk, skimmed milk or cream, which contains more than 500,000 bacteria per cubic centimeter, or which has a temperature higher than 30 degrees Fahrenheit.

It is claimed by the board of health inspectors that by examination of certain milk that has been shipped to this city during the strike, a higher percentage of bacteria has been found than the regulations allow.

JEFFRIES IN GREAT CONDITION

Ben Lemon, Calif., June 3.—Jimmie Jeffries is now in magnificent condition according to a statement issued by Dr. Charles V. Cross, United States examining physician of San Francisco, who Wednesday made the most complete and painstaking examination Jeffries has had since he began training.

"In the course of my practice," said Dr. Cross, "I have examined 15,000 or 20,000 men, and I have never seen anything so wonderful as the strength, power and perfect condition of this man. His eye is clear and steady, indicating a cool and well balanced judgment. His heart action surprised me, for after his vigorous exercises, and while he was being rubbed and kneaded by four pairs of hands his heart pulse was only 68. In the average man it would have been 80 or over.

"I was especially careful to search his lungs for any trace of the pneumonia with which he was seriously afflicted some years ago. The lungs showed absolutely no evidence of pneumonia and his respiration or

breathing machinery is excellent, too. Six parts of the physical man must be right for him to be strong enough to enter a strenuous athletic contest—his brain, heart, lungs, stomach, kidneys and liver. Every one of these organs in Jeffries is perfectly sound and free from flaw. I found nothing in my searching examination to indicate that the stories of hidden disease in Jeffries are true."

Dr. Cross, who recently attended Johnson, took occasion to compare the former champion with the negro. "As to comparison of the physique of Johnson and Jeffries," he said, "there is not a large margin of difference. Both men are in fine bodily trim. Johnson, like Jeffries, is sound throughout. He has considerably more fat on his body, but when the pair step into the ring I believe they will be almost an even match so far as condition goes. I am convinced that Jeffries' great reduction in weight—he must have rid himself of at least 50 pounds—has not impaired his stamina."

MILLIONAIRE SENT TO JAIL FOR BRIBERY

Pittsburgh, June 3.—His many millions unavailing and his great influence powerless to save him, E. H. Jennings, president of the Columbia National Bank and of the Colonial Trust Company two of Pittsburgh's big financial institutions and also president of the Manufacturers' Light & Heat company an enormous gas and oil corporation today entered a cell in the Allegheny county jail and must remain there two months. He must also pay a fine of \$500. This was the penalty imposed on him by the court for using his wealth to bribe councilmen and steal legislation from Pittsburgh.

Jennings is rated to be worth at least \$20,000,000, and in addition to his corporation holdings is a large oil and gas operator individually, and has been for years in the councils of Standard Oil. The question now

arises whether under the national banking law Mr. Jennings can retain the presidency of the Columbia bank. He has held steadily to his place, although it is within the discretion of the comptroller of the currency to remove an indicted officer of a national bank. Jennings has been convicted and is serving his sentence. The action of the comptroller is awaited with great interest.

A minority element of the Colonial Trust Company tried to get Mr. Jennings to resign the presidency of that bank when the graft storm broke, but this resulted only in the minority being itself forced to sell out to the Jennings interest in the bank.

Frank A. Griffin former cashier of the Columbia bank, who was tried and convicted with Jennings, was sentenced to four months in jail and a \$500 fine.

MADRIZ DECLares A BLOCKADE

Bluefields, Nicaragua, June 3.—Dr. Julian Irisas, the representative on the Atlantic coast of President Madriz, has issued a decree that vessels cleared for Bluefields on or after June 1 may not enter this port without permission of the Madriz government.

The decree sets forth that all shipping which cleared for Bluefields before the date mentioned will be permitted to enter the harbor after the payment of customs duties at the custom house on Bluefields Bluffs, which was recently captured and is still held by the government troops.

The official decree was issued from

Venus, and if its provisions are carried out, it will be absolutely in the control of President Madriz and the consequent weakening of the position of the insurgents of Bluefields.

Action of United States Awaited.

The United States gunboat Paducah will not permit the Venus to bombard the city of Bluefields or to shell the trenches of the revolutionists on the Island side of the city by firing over the provisional capital, whether the United States government will allow the Nicaraguan government to say what vessels shall enter the chief eastern seaport of the country, or under what conditions such entrance shall be made, is a

matter of doubt here, where a decision in the matter by Secretary Knox is anxiously awaited.

Serious for Estrada.

The district to the north embraced by the Prinzapulka and the Rio Grande rivers is rich in mining and agricultural interests, owned chiefly by Americans. The exports from that territory to Bluefields are important, and if the government should decide to hold up the vessels engaged in moving them with the purpose of cutting off the insurgent source of supplies, the situation from the standpoint of General Estrada would be rendered more serious.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

Meeting to be Held at Derry
on Next Thursday

The thirty-fifth annual convention of the Rockingham county Sunday school association will be held in St. Luke's Methodist church at Derry on June 9 with the following program: 10:00—Praise and devotional service. 10:10—Words of welcome, Rev. C. W. Martin.

10:20—Business. Report of secretary and treasurer. Appointment of committees.

10:30—Departmental reports. Home, primary, teacher training.

10:45—Reports by schools of special features during past year.

11:00—Address, "Unity," the watchword of the hour in Sunday school work, Rev. Wesley J. Wilkins.

11:30—Round table conference, led by Secretary R. E. Thompson.

12:00—Recess.

1:15—Praise and devotional service.

1:30—Business. Election of officers.

1:45—Address, "Primary and Junior Work," Mrs. G. W. Hendrick.

2:25—Address, "The Boy's Class: An Illustration of Its Spirit and Methods," Mrs. R. L. Webb, Haverhill, Mass.

3:00—Echoes from Washington World's Convention," Rev. E. H. Stiles and others.

3:40—"The Gist of the Matter," Rev. C. J. Merriam.

4:00—Recess.

7:30—Praise service.

7:45—Address, Rev. J. Bruce Gilman, Nashua, N. H.

8:15—Address, Secretary Roger E. Thompson.

BROOKLYN'S PRETENDER.

John Guelph Begins Fight For Crown
Worn by King George.

While Britain's new king and his family are holding exclusively first place in the limelight abroad just now, a Brooklyn man promises to be almost as much in the public eye over there in the near future. His name is John G. E. W. Guelph, or "Prince John," as he insists on being called, and he claims to be the eldest son of the late King Edward and heir to the British throne.

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—7.45, 8.45 a. m. then every hour until 8.45 p. m. The 10.45, 11.45 a. m. and 2.45 p. m. to North Shore Road only.
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YACHT CLUB NOTES

A gas engine export from the Atlantic Works arrived today to thoroughly overhaul the engine in the speed boat of Captain Stillson, and got it in racing trim for the season. The local experts have given up the job. Captain Stillson has entered the boat for all of the big events for the season and expects to add to his already long string of valuable prizes won by the Evab. Club members say that of late the fire room of the speed boat has resembled a full sized machine shop.

A meeting of the Yacht Club was held on Thursday evening, and four members elected. The question of having a float in the Old Home Week parade was discussed, but the club will not take part other than to keep open house and welcome all yachtsmen.

Ex-Conf. George Ducker is sending out invitations to the launching of his sailing yacht. The speediest boat on the river has been given every attention and is now ready to take her dip in the waters of the Piscataqua river. The event promises to rival that of the Evab.

GRADUATION AT ANNAPOLIS TODAY

Representative Padgett to Speak for Board of Visitors.

A series of military evolutions were gone through with by the brigade midshipmen Wednesday for the graduation of the Board of Visitors in attendance at the commencement exercises of the Naval Academy at Annapolis. Representative L. P. Padgett of Pennsylvania has been designated by the Board of Visitors to deliver the address to the graduates on behalf of the board at the graduation exercises today. The principal address will be by Secretary of the Navy Moyer. Last night at the dress parade the prizes won in studies and athletics were presented. Later the members of the Board of Visitors and their wives were the guests of Superintendent and Mrs. Bowyer at a dinner.

IN LESS THAN 72 HOURS

Aviator Must Fly Between Chicago and New York to Win Offered Prize of \$25,000.

Chicago, June 3.—Aviators who enter the Chicago-New York flying contest for the \$25,000 prize offered by the New York Times and the Chicago Evening Post must make the trip in less than 72 hours. They will be permitted any number of stops, and may start from either city.

The same operator must remain in charge of the air craft throughout the trip, which can be made at any time between August 1 and Nov. 1. Entries for the race must be in by August 1.

These arrangements were agreed upon at a meeting held in the office of John C. Shaffer, publisher of the Chicago Evening Post.

THE ORDER TO FIRE

A Young Union Officer Shrinks From Obedying It.

By F. A. MITCHEL.
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The horrors of the civil war fell more heavily on the people of the border states than on any other. This territory was fought over by great armies swaying southward and northward, their houses riddled by shells, their stock appropriated, and first one army and then another quartered upon them.

In Kentucky, standing in the center of a group, is a house in the walls of which are to be seen a number of scars due to the impact of round shot and shell. There is a story connected with it that after nearly forty years is still told among the people who live in its neighborhood, a story of one of those occasions when one member of a family was called upon by the end of war to sacrifice another, only this case it is not a brother spilling the blood of a brother or a father of a son, but of a man obliged to— But to the story.

In the late autumn of 1861 Winfield Birney, a young Kentuckian, was married to Jeanette Ormsby, a girl who had grown up with him in the same neighborhood. Her father was a Unionist, and her sympathies went to the side he favored. Her husband, loath to choose against the wife he had just married, hesitated a long while as to which cause he should embrace, but at last, notwithstanding the pleadings of his bride, finally bid her adieu and, going south, entered the Confederate service.

The Union armies during the next spring passed southward over the Kentucky border, down through Tennessee and into Alabama. Young Mrs. Birney saw them march past the house in which she lived with her fa-

ther and mother.

Together they went into the house. All was silent; all was wreck. Not a person appeared on the ground floor, and the two officers hurried upstairs. That, too, was deserted. Then a sudden thought struck the lieutenant, and he hurried to the cellar, followed by his general. There on a wicker lounge lay a young woman with an ashen face and closed eyes, while an old man and woman were administering resuscitatives. A negro mammy was holding a baby. The two officers, who had entered, stood aghast. Birney saw his father, mother, child, wife. He was a soldier, and a brave man, but in all men there is something womanly that when pelted or overthrown will burst its bonds. In a fury of tears the young husband and father, pointing to the livid body of his wife, exclaimed:

"There, general, is the cause of my cowardice. You have forced me to fire on those who are all the world to me to kill my own wife. And now you have put me under arrest. Take my sword; I have no further use for it. I wish to God I had disobeyed your order and you had cut me down for me. Coward! I have been a coward. Had I been brave I would have shot you rather than have turned my gun on my own home."

The general stood looking from his subordinate to the pale face of the wife and mother, and it seemed that every regiment formed an additional barrier between her and her husband.

But when the next summer came they all marched back again and this time were followed by a Confederate army. A part of this pursuing force was fighting its way one day through what had been two years before one of the pleasantest, happiest regions of Kentucky. With its artillery was Winfield Birney, now a lieutenant. His battery was being dragged onward for a short distance, when it would stop, its guns would be unlimbered, trained on retreating Unionists, then advanced again and the firing repeated.

"Birney," said his captain, "take two pieces over to that rise in the ground and shell that grove just below."

Birney paled. He made no move to execute the order.

"Well," said his captain sharply, "what are you waiting for?"

Birney was saved a reply, for at that moment a shot struck his commander, and he fell, red blood trickling from his chest.

There had been a desultory fire from the grove in question, which now gathered force and was doing much damage to infantry regiments supporting the artillery. The brigade commander galloped up to the battery in hot haste.

"Why don't you shell 'em?" he cried angrily. "What are you doing here with these guns while the Yanks are slaughtering us?"

"General," gasped the disabled captain, endeavoring to rise, "I've ordered Lieutenant Birney to take two pieces over to that knoll which commands the position and open fire, but I can't get him to move."

"Open fire right here!" thundered the general. "We must stop this sacrifice at once!"

"General," said the lieutenant, "must I fire into that grove?"

"Yes, sir. Didn't you hear the order? Have you lost your head through cowardice, or are you afraid of hurting the Yankees?"

The lieutenant turned and gave the order. The shells went crashing through the trees.

"Now move your guns forward," said the general, "and give it to them again and again till you clear the grove."

Birney, looking more like a corpse

than a live man, advanced his guns as ordered, stopping now and again to empty them, till the fire from behind the trees had ceased. Then he was ordered by the general, who continued to direct the operations in person, to take his battery through an open gateway and post it beyond the intervening trees. The guns were hauled into the place through the grove and past a large dwelling with massive pillars in front. The Federal troops had been cleared from that part of the field, and the general was satisfied. Turning to Birney with a scowl, he said:

"Lieutenant, go to the rear under arrest."

"General," replied the young man, sheathing his sword, "I crave your permission to first go into the house you left."

"What do you want to go there for?"

"To see if the inmates are alive."

"The inmates? What are they to you?"

"From that house I went south to join this army. There I was born. There less than a year ago I was married. It is not a week since I received word from my wife that she had then just been delivered of a son. You see the holes made by those shots, that rent in the roof from the explosion of a shell?" General, for God's sake let me go and see if I have killed my wife and boy."

The general sat in his saddle listening to this brief but impressive plea till it was finished, then threw himself from his horse.

"Come," he said, "I will go with you."

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p. m. Sunday—3.25, 8.00, 10.00 p. m.,
1.52, 5.00, 7.00 p. m.

Returning, Leave Boston—7.30, 8.10,
8.00, 10.10 a. m., 1.00, 3.30, 4.50, 6.00,
7.00, 19.00 p. m. Sunday—8.20, 9.00
a. m., 1.15, 6.30, 7.00, 10.00 p. m.

FOR PORTLAND—8.55, 10.48 a. m.,
2.51, 8.50, 11.45 p. m. Sunday—10.4
a. m., 8.50, 11.45 p. m.

Returning, Leave Portland—1.30, 9.00
a. m., 12.15, 5.00, 6.00 p. m. Sunday—
1.30 a. m., 12.15 p. m.

FOR DOVER—5.55, 9.46 a. m., 12.26,
2.12, 5.22, 8.52 p. m. Sundays—8.25,
10.50 a. m., 8.52 p. m.

Returning, Leave Dover—6.50, 10.25 a.
m., 1.10, 6.45, 9.30 p. m. Sunday—
7.30 a. m., 1.10, 9.30 p. m.

FOR MANCHESTER and CONCORD—
3.30 a. m., 12.40, 5.25 p. m.

Returning, Leave Concord—7.43, 10.20
a. m., 8.30 p. m.

FOR YORK BEACH—7.40, 11.00 a.
m., 3.05, 5.35 p. m.

Returning, Leave York Beach—6.40,
9.25 a. m., 1.00, 3.45 p. m.

FOR SOMERSWORTH and ROCHESTER—
8.55, 9.46 a. m., 2.42, 6.22 p. m.

Returning, Leave Rochester—6.10,
7.26, 9.46 a. m., 5.23 p. m.

NAVY YARD FERRY TIME TABLE

Leaves Navy Yard—8.20, 8.35, 9.15,
10.00, 10.30, 11.15, 11.45 a. m.; 1.35,
2.15, 2.45, 4.00, 4.20, 4.40, 5.00, *8.00,
7.45 p. m. Sundays—10.00, 10.15 a.
m.; 2.15, 12.35 p. m. Holidays—9.30,
10.30, 11.30 a. m.

Leaves Portsmouth—8.25, 8.45,
9.30, 10.15, 11.00, 11.30 a. m.; 12.15, 1.15,
1.45, 2.30, 3.30, 4.10, 4.30, 4.45, 5.40,
*5.10, 11.00 p. m. Sundays—10.00
a. m., 12.05, 12.25, 12.45 p. m. Holidays—
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8.15, 10.15 a. m., 12.15, 2.15, 4.15,

9.15, 11.15, 10.15 p. m.

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The College
Commencements

See the sweet girl graduate
Brave herself to tackle fate.
She has in her dignity.
Plain white lawn or organza,
Wander, trembling, sweet and fair,
With a bouquet in her hair.
And an essay in her hand.
Shaking as she takes the stand.

NCHE again the days
of academic processions have come,
and to the schools and colleges all
over the land commencement day features
are the sole topic of conversation. For this
occasion the erudite minds and youths
lay out their best bib and tucker,
practice to adjust their mousturbards at
the most becoming angle and in numerous
other ways aim to look their prettiest, for it is the great event
of the year to them and always draws a
large crowd of visitors. While it is a
welcome relief to the graduates to
think of leaving dull books and rigid
discipline far behind, smiles frequently
give way to tears and regrets when
come the parting from kind teachers
and dear chums, the last look at favorite
nooks and the final visits to the
rooms wherein such good times have
been spent. As a rule, leaving college
is not such a joyful proceeding as the
student had pictured, and although
great events may come in after life,
the scenes and incidents in the last
days at school are never effaced from
the student's memory and are discussed
and talked of long afterward.

A procession of dignified appearing
men and women, each one wearing
cap, gown and hood, when entitled to it, a
hood, is an imposing scene. The flowing
robes seemingly express something
of the dignity of learning and the
honor of academic life, no one denying
that they add greatly to the interest
and general effect of the college
anniversaries and special functions.
Some colleges make the wearing of the
gown obligatory on certain occasions,
though it is optional and desirable at
all times.

In the matter of dress Oxford claims
to have a system that goes back farther
than that of any of its contemporaries.
The graduating class of this year in the famous English university
will wear just exactly the same
kind of ecclesiastical and civil robes
colored lanterns until the whole like
those adorned with fairy crafts. Tree
day is another feature at Wellesley
which has been observed since the
founding of the college. For the seniors
it is a day of sorrow, for they take
unplanned leave of the tree that they
planted as freshmen.

The daisy chain at Vassar is one of
the most beautiful practices that mark
the close of the school year. Thousands
of daisies are picked the day before
the march and are strung together
in long festoons. The prettiest girls
of the class are selected to carry the
chain, and the march around the beautiful
avenues of the superb institution,
the yellow of the flowers, the fair
skins and white dresses of the bearers,
the green of the lawn and the blond
and brunette heads exposed to the
sunlight make just a picture as any
artist ever painted.

Barnard has a floral parade which is
somewhat similar and of which it is
very proud. A line of graduates
parade the campus carrying the choicest
blossoms of springtime in trays, and after
the procession the flowers are distributed
to those who are present to see the exercises. Bryn Mawr college
for its commencement day usually
makes a specialty of producing some
classical play, this year presenting "A
Midsummer Night's Dream." At Mount
Holyoke college the seniors begin the
commencement round the week before
with a pilgrimage to the summit of
Mount Holyoke, where they carry out
mysterious farewell ceremonies. Later
come the grove exercises, the students
gathering at the monument of the
founder, Mary Lyon, and singing the
"grove song."

At many of the women's colleges
this year decided changes in the
style of dress for the academic processions
were made. At Radcliffe an
ordinary academic dress of today
consists of cap, gown and hood,
and in the United States the system
has been so unified that a very definite
code has been established. In 1894 an
intercollegiate commission met in Columbia
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as members of the commission. They
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There are three types of gowns,
which are marked by varying cuts
of bodices to represent doctor, master and
bachelor degrees. The doctor's gown
has full, open, round sleeves faced
with velvet and has three bars of velvet
on the sleeves. The master's gown
has a closed sleeve, square at the bottom,
falling below the knee. The arm
enters through a slit near the elbow.
The bachelor's gown has long pointed
sleeves. The doctor's and master's
gowns should be silk, the bachelor's of
worsted stuff. The doctor's cap has a
gilt tassel, while the others have silk
tassels.

There is hardly a college in the country
in commencement week that does
not have some distinctive day or feature
that is full of interest to the most
experienced commencement visitor and
well worth traveling miles to see.
Several of the larger colleges are not
satisfied with one day or feature, but
carry their novel celebrations over several
days. Of course when it comes to the
final ceremony, the day of graduation,
there is no attempt at originality,
no getting away from the conventional
exercises, backed as they are by
the dignity of scores of years. Usually
the seniors finish their "exams" a week
or two before the commencement exercises.
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Closing Scenes
And Features

most every woman's college has something
similar—the daisy chain at Vassar,
for instance, which at once suggests the
ivy chain carried on ivy day.
The students on that occasion, looking
their sweetest in their simple white
dresses, march two by two around the
buildings and the campus, carrying
the long ivy chain. While the girls are
passing through the alley formed by
the rows of admiring spectators you
will hear the occasional click of a camera
as some especially prominent and
popular girl goes by some vintage
point.

Flot day attracts much attention at
Wellesley, and as many as 7,000 visitors
have gathered on the shores of Lake
Waban during graduation week
and watched the students drift down
the lake in barges, while the crews
sang the college rowing song. The vast
fleet of small boats of every description
are lighted up with gayly

THE SWEET GIRL GRADUATE.
colored lanterns until the whole like
those adorned with fairy crafts. Tree
day is another feature at Wellesley
which has been observed since the
founding of the college. For the seniors
it is a day of sorrow, for they take
unplanned leave of the tree that they
planted as freshmen.

The daisy chain at Vassar is one of
the most beautiful practices that mark
the close of the school year. Thousands
of daisies are picked the day before
the march and are strung together
in long festoons. The prettiest girls
of the class are selected to carry the
chain, and the march around the beautiful
avenues of the superb institution,
the yellow of the flowers, the fair
skins and white dresses of the bearers,
the green of the lawn and the blond
and brunette heads exposed to the
sunlight make just a picture as any
artist ever painted.

Barnard has a floral parade which is
somewhat similar and of which it is
very proud. A line of graduates
parade the campus carrying the choicest
blossoms of springtime in trays, and after
the procession the flowers are distributed
to those who are present to see the exercises. Bryn Mawr college
for its commencement day usually
makes a specialty of producing some
classical play, this year presenting "A
Midsummer Night's Dream." At Mount
Holyoke college the seniors begin the
commencement round the week before
with a pilgrimage to the summit of
Mount Holyoke, where they carry out
mysterious farewell ceremonies. Later
come the grove exercises, the students
gathering at the monument of the
founder, Mary Lyon, and singing the
"grove song."

At many of the women's colleges
this year decided changes in the
style of dress for the academic processions
were made. At Radcliffe an
ordinary academic dress of today
consists of cap, gown and hood,
and in the United States the system
has been so unified that a very definite
code has been established. In 1894 an
intercollegiate commission met in Columbia
college with Sill Low as chairman and
Colonel McCook of Princeton, Dr. Palmer
of Yale and Chancellor MacCracken of New York university
as members of the commission. They
made a careful study of academic costume
in the various universities of Europe,
and out of the chaos they evolved an
orderly system, which is the one
followed now by all the greater universities
and colleges of its various colleges.

There are three types of gowns,
which are marked by varying cuts
of bodices to represent doctor, master and
bachelor degrees. The doctor's gown
has full, open, round sleeves faced
with velvet and has three bars of velvet
on the sleeves. The master's gown
has a closed sleeve, square at the bottom,
falling below the knee. The arm
enters through a slit near the elbow.
The bachelor's gown has long pointed
sleeves. The doctor's and master's
gowns should be silk, the bachelor's of
worsted stuff. The doctor's cap has a
gilt tassel, while the others have silk
tassels.

There is hardly a college in the country
in commencement week that does
not have some distinctive day or feature
that is full of interest to the most
experienced commencement visitor and
well worth traveling miles to see.
Several of the larger colleges are not
satisfied with one day or feature, but
carry their novel celebrations over several
days. Of course when it comes to the
final ceremony, the day of graduation,
there is no attempt at originality,
no getting away from the conventional
exercises, backed as they are by
the dignity of scores of years. Usually
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AT NAVY YARD

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Combustible Building Work is Still Held Up

More Compensation Proposed for Injured Men

Representative Gillett of Massachusetts has introduced in the house of representatives a bill to make more liberal the compensation paid by the government to employees in government manufacturing plants, such as navy yards and armories, for injuries received through no fault of their own while on duty. One of the new features provides for reducing from 15 to 5 days the period for which compensation will not be paid in case of injury. The bill makes possible the payment of not less than \$3500 or more than \$7500 for permanent disability.

Still Holding Up the Work

Work on the oil storage building, started last year, is still held up at Washington by the department, who are to make some changes in the construction. This contract was awarded last year to C. H. Holmes, who had made considerable headway on the building when the work was checked.

Ship's Pet on Sick List

The kangaroo of the Wisconsin while doing his usual stunt about the yard this forenoon was suddenly ill and had to be carried back to the vessel for treatment. It's safe to say that this pet of the ship will receive unlimited amount of care by the crew who hope to see him hopping about again in a few days.

Nearly Up to the Thousand

With the later calls for workmen at this station the force at the yard is now nearly up to the thousand mark.

Hannibal Comes in With Coal

The collier Hannibal with 2100 tons of coal arrived in the lower harbor on Thursday evening, and came up to the coal plant dock at 8:30 this morning.

After the 142 Pound Men

H. E. Wood, the fast boxing artist of the U. S. S. Wisconsin, who recently won ten round bout against Wilson of Kittery is still out for a contest and wants to meet any man of 142 pounds in or out of the navy.

Two Lists Without Names

The list of drillers and hoisters on has been exhausted. Men of this work are needed and will find employment by placing their names on the list at the labor office.

More Workmen for Hull Division

The labor board today sent out a call for four drillers, four chippers and calkers, four rivet heaters, one hoister on and one left hand riveter.

HAD PITY ON THE LOBSTER

Shoals Fisherman Restores Eyesight to Shell Fish and Throws it Back into Sea

A fisherman at the Isles of Shoals recently picked up an eight pound lobster, which he claims was blind, owing to barnacles on its head. The fisherman did not keep the marine shell fish only long enough to remove the barnacles that covered its eyes and then cast it into the water in order that it could again enjoy its sight.

GOOD FEED IN THIS STATE

Stock from Massachusetts Sent to Newmarket

Four hundred head of cattle, young stock of the Danvers insane asylum, have been sent to Newmarket for summer pasture.

WILL THE DEPOT BE LIGHTED?

While the Boston and Maine railroad is to light up the Portsmouth bridge with electricity it's still a question whether the company will put this lighting system in at Kittery junction depot.

STOLE HIS BICYCLE

W. R. Weston, the contractor, reported the loss of his bicycle this

forenoon, to the police, which was stolen from the front of a Daniel street business house.

PERSONALS.

Mr. C. L. Spinney is in Nashua this week.

Arthur Dede is passing the day in Boston.

Miss Florence Hill left today for Concord.

License Inspector Ordway was in town today.

The Wild West show cut down the free list some.

The straw hat does not appear to have rushed the season.

License Inspector Scott Locke was in the city on Thursday.

Portsmouth boys at Manzulli, Cuba, are shortly to return home.

Leon Ashe has entered the employ of the Portsmouth Gas company.

Mayor E. H. Adams registered at the Sennacook in Exeter this week.

Mrs. E. C. Moody and Mrs. E. S. Marshall of York were visitors here today.

Justin D. Hartford is passing a few days with Dean Almy at Auburndale, Mass.

Mrs. Sarah Mowell of Salmon Falls is visiting her son, Mr. William McDaniel.

Mrs. Robert J. Murray of Lawrence, Mass., is visiting her Portsmouth relatives.

Miss Anna McCarthy of Middle street is visiting friends at Jamaica Plain, Mass.

Miss F. M. Hall of New York is the guest of Miss Haliburton, Congress street.

Thomas Stewart, driver at the central fire station, is enjoying a visit at Hartford, Conn.

Ernest L. Elliott, editor of the Claremont Advocate, was a visitor at the Herald office today.

Mrs. Robert Cutts Pierce has returned from Washington, D. C., where she passed the winter.

Dr. Lemuel Pope is laid up, as the result of being seriously jammed by a horse at Ossipee last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Davis of Islington street are entertaining Mrs. Elizabeth Cutler of Lynn, Mass.

Rev. Charles Le V. Brine is passing a few days in Concord in attendance at the Episcopal meeting there.

Miss Katherine Smith and Miss Florence Smith are visiting their cousin, Miss Franklin, in Worcester, Mass.

Mrs. William Sullivan of Boston, formerly of this city, who is the guest of relatives here, passed Thursday in Newmarket.

Mrs. Charles Wood and Mrs. R. E. Hannaford of this city attended a meeting of the Eastern Star at Exeter this week.

Boston Herald: During the summer Maj. and Mrs. Talbot Aldrich are to be at their farm at Ponkapog, but will make visits to their fishing camp in the Maine woods.

Mrs. A. J. Cornell of Portsmouth, who has been spending the winter at South Berwick, the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Augusta Hatch, has gone to Winterport, Me., for the summer.

Boston Herald: Mrs. Thomas Bailey Aldrich and her son, Maj. Talbot Aldrich, visited the Aldrich memorial in Portsmouth this week, prior to the sailing of Mrs. Aldrich for Europe on Saturday from New York. Mrs. Aldrich will tour with her automobile for three months through England, Germany and France. With her will be Mrs. William O. Fuller of Rockland, Me., and Miss Marguerite Warren of Dehiam.

Miss Vira Rial, who is appearing in the "Witch's Powr" at the Portsmouth Theatre this week is attracting large audiences by her impersonation of a gypsy singer and dancer which is done in a very perfect manner. In this powerful drama, Mr. William Marion has an act which is full of intense interest and is hypnotized by the gypsy singer. Both these artists are favorites and sure to please whenever they appear.

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BURNED HER HAT

Young Lady Burns into Gasoline Lamp While Watching the Wild West

A well known young lady residing on Deer street, who attended the Wild West performance on Thursday evening, now says "What's the use." She paid her good money to watch the Indians and cowboys and became so excited when the shooting was on that she backed up against one of the gasoline lights, where the flames reached the feather ornaments of her hat and much of the same had gone up in smoke before she realized the situation. Another lady standing nearby rushed to her aid and caused her to withdraw her attention from the scene in time to save part of her crown piece.

MID-DAY SCRAP

Words Lead to Blows Over the Big Comet

Two female residents of Charles street had an argument over the comet at noon today, and to settle the different opinions on this luminous celestial body replied to the street where they had it out in hair pulling, pinching and scratching contest. Numerous spectators were present during the bout.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR SOCIAL

A Pleasant Thursday Evening at the Baptist Chapel

The Christian Endeavor society of the Middle street Baptist church had a social at the chapel on Thursday evening in charge of President Harry W. Wendell and Mrs. J. W. Shannon. A large number attended and the evening passed very pleasantly.

Games were enjoyed and refreshments were served.

THE SATURDAY SALE

At Bass' candy department will include besides the regular thirty-five cent chocolates for twenty-nine cents, stuffed dates filled with assorted nuts a regular forty cent quality, for twenty-nine cents.

TEACHERS' MEETING PLANS

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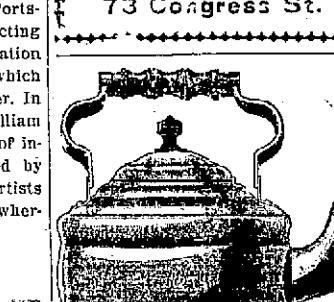
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